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First 90 Day Request for Extension of Time to Oppose for Good Cause

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 2.102, U.S. Smokeless Tobacco Manufacturing Limited Partnership, 800 Harrison Street, Nashville, TN37202, UNITED STATES, a Limited Partnership, organized under the laws of Delaware, respectfully requests that it be granted a 90-day extension of time to file a notice of opposition against the above-identified mark for cause shown .

Potential opposer believes that good causes are established for this request by:

- The potential opposer needs additional time to investigate the claim
- The potential opposer needs additional time to confer with counsel

The time within which to file a notice of opposition is set to expire on 04/28/2005. U.S. Smokeless Tobacco Manufacturing Limited Partnership respectfully requests that the time period within which to file an opposition be extended until 07/27/2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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